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The Notice of Allowance mailed 02/01/2005 (part of paper number/mail date 20050128) indicates a 10 day patent term adjustment.

As provided by the Office's response to Comment 43 on the revision of the Patent Rules implementing provisions of the American Inventors Protection Act of 1999, a registered practitioner's obligation of candor and good faith applies to a practitioner's acceptance of the patent term adjustment as determined by the Office. *Changes to Implement Patent Term Adjustment under Twenty-Year Patent Term*, 65 Fed. Reg. 56,366, 56,387 (Sept. 18, 2000).

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In accordance with the Office's response in the Federal Register, the term adjustment as provided in the Notice of Allowance is thought to be longer than appropriate. This letter requests the Office to review the 10 day patent term adjustment as indicated in the Notice of Allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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